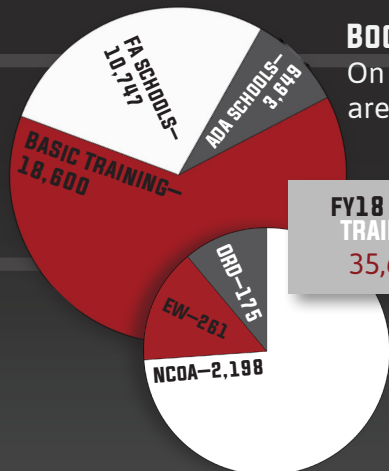


FORT SILL TRAINEE POPULATION



BOOTS ON THE GROUND:
On any single day there are up to **9,000** trainees on Fort Sill

FY18 TOTAL TRAINEES
35,630

LOCAL ECONOMIC IMPACT In Millions

Housing	\$440
Food	\$576
Taxes	\$329
Transportation	\$385
Other Necessities	\$517
Tourism	\$24
Healthcare	\$70
Students	\$315
TOTAL	\$2,719

POPULATION

	FY 2018
Military (Permanent Party)	7,483
National Guard/Reserve	992
Total Civilian Employees	6,211
Retired Military/ Survivor Dependents	33,864
Family Members	27,513

TOTAL **76,063**

THE U.S. ARMY FIRES CENTER OF EXCELLENCE



AMTC
Authorized:
AD-13
CIV-6



MEDDAC
Authorized:
AD-181
CIV-657



DOTD
Authorized:
AD-104
CIV-124



DENTAC
Authorized:
AD-52
CIV-100



FFID
Authorized:
AD-51
CIV-45



MARDET
Authorized:
90



USAG
Authorized:
AD-21
CIV-1,002



The U.S. Army
FA School
Authorized:
849



The U.S. Army
ADA School
Authorized:
582



434TH FA BDE
Authorized:
712



75TH
FA BDE
Authorized:
2,347



III Corps
Fort Hood, TX



32ND
AAMDC
Fort Bliss, TX



31ST
ADA BDE
Authorized:
1,649



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INSTALLATION FOOTPRINT

Overall Area	93,633 Acres
Cantonment	9,318 Acres
Training Area	81,511 Acres
Total On-Post Housing	1,813 Units
Permanent Party Off-Post	78%

Quanah Range

West Range

East Range

Cantonment

27 Miles



FIRES CENTER OF EXCELLENCE FORT SILL, OK



MG Wilson A. Shoffner
Commanding General



CSM John W. Foley
Command Sergeant Major

VISION:

The Fires Center of Excellence creates the world's premier Fires Force; ready to employ responsive cross-domain fires to win in any operational environment.

MISSION

The Fires Center of Excellence trains, educates and develops Soldiers and Leaders; creates and develops capabilities; and provides a Fires Force to support the joint warfighting commander across the spectrum of operations in the joint and multinational environments.

**EMPOWER & ACHIEVE
FIRES FORCE READINESS**

**FACILITATE & ACCOMPLISH INITIAL
MILITARY TRAINING**

**ACHIEVE FORCE
MODERNIZATION**

TALENT MANAGEMENT

ENABLE & CONDUCT FIRES PME

ENDURING PRIORITIES

Fort Sill was founded by one of our great Civil War generals, General Philip Sheridan in 1869. Fort Sill remains the only active Army installation of all the forts on the South Plains built during the Indian Wars.

Fort Sill was the home to four regiments of Buffalo Soldiers. Buffalo Soldiers were all African American Regiments and were given the name "Buffalo Soldier" by the Indian tribes because of their fierceness in battle. Many of the buildings on the installation were built by the Buffalo Soldiers and many remain much like they were when Fort Sill was founded.

Fort Sill has been the home of the Artillery since 1911 but it was also the home of the U.S. Infantry, until it moved to Fort Benning, GA in 1918. Fort Sill's Henry Post Aviation Airfield initiated U.S. pilot and observation balloon training in 1917 and trained all new pilots for what would become the United States Air Force until it was moved to Fort Rucker, AL in 1954.

Although Marine presence at Fort Sill dates back to the 1950's, the U.S. Marine Corps FA TRNG Detachment was formally established in October 1977, in conjunction with the closure of the Marine Barracks, Naval Ammunition Depot, at McAlester, OK. The Marine Corps representative to Fort Sill was designated as the Commanding Officer, Marine Corps Personnel. All Marine field artillerymen, both officer and enlisted are trained at the United States Army Field Artillery School.

On 25 June 2009, the U.S. Army Air Defense Artillery School and the 6th Air Defense Artillery Brigade relocated from Fort Bliss, TX to Fort Sill. The 6th ADA Brigade was redesignated as the 30th Air Defense Artillery Brigade, joining the U.S. Army Field Artillery School to become the Fires Center of Excellence—FIRES STRONG!

**FCOE SUPPORTS OKC RECRUITING
BATTALION TO ACHIEVE FY 19
RECRUITING MISSION**

**INCREASE PHYSICAL & ACADEMIC
RIGOR ACROSS THE TRNG
ESTABLISHMENT**

**OPERATIONALIZE HOLISTIC HEALTH &
FITNESS ACROSS THE ENTERPRISE**

**PREPARE & TRAIN SOLDIERS NOW
FOR ACFT IMPLEMENTATION; FOSTER
A FITNESS CULTURE ON FT SILL**

**FOSTER A CULTURE OF MANAGING
RISK WHILE ENSURING MISSION
ACCOMPLISHMENT**

**SPEARHEAD MODERNIZATION
PRIORITIES THROUGH CROSS
FUNCTIONAL TEAM SUPPORT**

NEAR TERM PRIORITIES

END STATE

FCoE provides Fires Soldiers who are trained and ready to employ cross-domain fires in support of large-scale combat operations in concert with the Army unified land operations operating concept.